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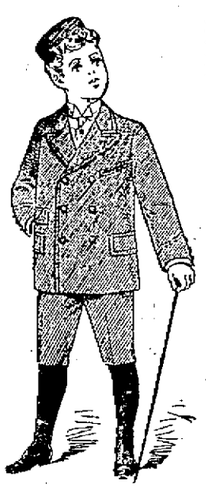

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President Carnot's Death the Sole Topic.

The U. S. Senate Passes Resolutions of Sympathy.

The House Takes Similar Action and Both Branches Adjourn Out of Respect to the Deceased—This Country Remembers Lafayette and His Services.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The death of President Carnot was the sole theme about the senate Monday and was recalled by a prayer marked by deep feeling delivered by Rev. Dr. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the senate. After the opening prayer Senator Morgan, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, offered the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the senate of the United States unites with the American people in expressing to the people of France their sorrow and sympathy in the national bereavement they are suffering from the cruel blow of an assassin which was aimed at the peace of France and fell upon the heart of President Carnot. And, as a mark of respect due to the memory of the wise, virtuous and patriotic president of the republic of France the senate will at the close of this proceeding stand adjourned until Wednesday at 10 o'clock.

"Second, That the president of the United States is requested to communicate this expression of national sorrow to the government of the republic of France and to Madam Carnot."

Senator Morgan made a brief speech in which he referred to the patriotism of the people of the French republic and the cordiality of the relations between the two republics.

At 10:30 the senate adjourned.

When the house met Monday it was generally understood that it would adjourn early out of respect to the memory of President Carnot, of France. Chaplain Bagby referred in his prayer to the great calamity which has fallen on our sister republic in the murder of its president. A message from the president of the United States was announced and Executive Clerk Pruden appeared at the main door bearing a large envelope containing the president's announcement to the senate and the house of the death of President Carnot.

Mr. McCreary, chairman of the committee of foreign affairs, thereupon arose and offered the followidg resolutions:

"Resolved, That the house of representatives of the United States of America has heard with profound sorrow of the assassination of President Carnot and tenders the people of France sincere sympathy in their national bereavement.

"That the president of the United States be requested to communicate this expression of sorrow to the government of the republic of France and to Madame Carnot, and that as a further mark of respect to the memory of the people of the French republic, the house of representatives do now adjourn."

Mr. McCreary and Mr. Hitt spoke on the resolutions and they were adopted unanimously, the house at once adjourning.

OUR GOVERNMENT

Takes Official Action and Extends Profound Sympathy.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The following official action was taken by the state department on the receipt of Ambassador Eustis' official notification:

"Express to the minister of foreign affairs the profound sorrow with which the president and the American people have heard of the atrocious crime which has robbed the sister republic of its wise, humane and patriotic chief magistrate. GRESHAM.

"Executive Mansion, June 26."

The president took notice of the sad tragedy in the following message to congress:

"Eustis, Ambassador, Paris, France:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

"The shocking intelligence has been received that the president of the French republic met his death Sunday at the hands of an assassin. The terrible event which has overtaken a sister republic can not fail to deeply arouse the sympathies of the American nation, while the violent termination of a career promising so much in aid of liberty and in advancing civilization should be mourned as an affliction of mankind. GROVER CLEVELAND,

"Executive Mansion, June 26."

A Mother's Terrible Deed.

MASON CITY, W. Va., June 26.—Charley, the little son of Nicholas Hennessy, was out with an air gun, when his mother ordered him to come into the house and put the gun away. The boy was slow in obeying, when the mother went out and took the gun out of his hands, playfully exclaiming: "I'll shoot you!" At the same time she pointed the gun at the boy and pulled the trigger, the ball entering just below his left eye, probably destroying the sight.

Killed by Her Lover.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 26.—Near Lowndesboro, Ala., Minnie Jones, aged 17, was called from her home by Wm. Wilson, her sweetheart, who beat her brains out with a club. She had just returned from church with another young man, which caused Wilson to become insanely jealous. Wilson is in jail, and lynching is threatened.

Ellis Jury Disagree.

MASON, Mich., June 26.—The jury in the case of Attorney General Ellis, charged with altering voting returns on an amendment increasing his own salary, announced Monday that they could not agree. They had been out since Saturday afternoon.

IMPORTANT BILL

Introduced in the United States Congress.

Defining the Term "Anarchist" and Fixing Penalties

For Crimes Attempted by Anarchists—Persons Appointed, Designated or Employed by Any Society to Take Human Life or Destroy Property are Anarchists.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—One result of the assassination of President Carnot was the introduction Monday by Mr. W. A. Stone, of Pennsylvania, of a bill defining the term "anarchist," and providing penalties for crimes attempted by anarchists.

The bill provides that

"Any person or persons appointed, designated or employed by any society or organinzation existing in this country or any foreign country which provides in writing or by verbal agreement, understanding or countenance, for the taking of human life unlawfully, or for the unlawful destruction of a building or buildings or other property where the loss of human life is the probable result of such destruction of property, shall be deemed an anarchist.

"Any person or persons, being anarchists, as defined by the first section of this act, who shall attempt the life of any persons holding office, elective or appointive, or employed under the constitution and laws of the United States, or who shall attempt the destruction of any building or buildings, or other property where the loss of the life of any such United States official or employes will be the probable result of such a destruction of buildings or other property, shall upon trial and conviction of such offense in any circuit or district court of the United States of the district where such offense was attempted, be sentenced to death by hanging, which sentence shall be executed by the marshal of the district in accordance with the sentence of the judge before whom the case was tried."

"THE WIFE OF CHRIST."

A Crank So Declaring Herself Calls on Ex-President Harrison, But Is Intercepted.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 26.—A female crank visited Gen. Harrison Monday at his house, but owing to the experience and good sense of Private Secretary Tibbotts, who was with him in the white house, she was not permitted to see the ex-president.

Mr. Tibbotts happened to answer the door bell about 3 o'clock and found a young woman having the appearance of an Indian maiden and wearing her long black hair down over her shoulders. She had a Bible and a copy of Gospel hymns in her hand. She asked for Gen. Harrison, saying that she had a message of great importance for him.

She further said that the democratic party was driving the country to ruin, and it was the duty of herself and Gen. Harrison jointly to save it. She wanted the general to help recover a large sum of money due her. She gave the name of Louisa Hudson. Mr. Tibbotts asked her to a seat in the parlor, and then telephoned to the police, and she was detained in conversation until they could arrive.

When their purpose was made known to her she became very violent, and threated dire vengeance upon her persecutors, and to burn the town. She told the police matron that she was the wife of Christ, and gave other evidence of a badly disordered mind. From her books it seemed that she formerly lived in Paris or Nashville, Tenn. She said she left there two years ago and has been wandering over the country preaching ever since. An examination as to her sanity will be held Tuesday morning.

Games Played Monday.

*Cincinnati	Rain.	*Cleveland	Rain.
Phillies		Brooklyn	
*St. Louis	3	Louisville	1
New York	2	Boston	9
*Chicago	15	*Pittsburgh	6
Baltimore	8	Washington	1

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	34	13	47	.723
Boston	35	18	53	.660
Pittsburgh	32	20	52	.615
Brooklyn	29	19	48	.604
Philadelphia	28	19	47	.596
Cleveland	27	19	46	.587
New York	27	24	51	.529
St. Louis	24	29	53	.453
Cincinnati	19	30	49	.387
Chicago	17	34	51	.333
Washington	16	36	52	.308
Louisville	12	39	51	.235

Caution at White House.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—There was a report here Tuesday night that extra precautions are being taken by the police authorities to prevent loafers from intruding themselves about the executive mansion. If this is so it has been done by those in authority at police headquarters only, because of an increase of the genus tramp in the capital.

Becomes Managing Editor.

CHICAGO, June 26.—Charles M. Pepper, for eight years manager of the Chicago Tribune's Washington bureau, and formerly a Chicago newspaper man, will assume editorial management of the Chicago Mail next Monday.

A Husband's Terrible Mistake.

AURORA, Ill., June 26.—Frank Bonghur, a shoemaker in this city, shot and instantly killed his wife, mistaking her for a burglar. The husband is now almost crazed with grief, and a grown daughter went into convulsions and may not recover.

Barnes for Congress.

PEORIA, Ill., June 26.—George O. Barnes, of Lacon, Marshall county, was nominated here in the democratic convention of the Fourteenth Illinois district Monday.

Northern Peru Fallen.

BUENOS AYRES, June 26.—It is reported that northern Peru has fallen into the hands of the revolutionists.

A GENERAL STRIKE

Predicted by Secretary Patrick McBryde, in Which All Union Workmen Will Join.

COLUMBUS, O., June 26.—In addressing a meeting of the Trainmen's union, at Lakeside Sunday, Secretary McBryde, of the United Mine workers, recalled the fact that he predicted, three years ago, the coal miners' strike that has just ended; and now predicted that within the next three years there would be a strike of every branch of organized labor in the United States.

The railway employes' strike would be the next big one, and probably the great strike would grow out of that. He wanted to insure the railway men present that not a pound of coal would be mined in that case by the United Mine Workers to be handled by non-union firemen. It had been reported that the miners were hostile to the militia, and that he said he would not speak at a meeting where the Fourteenth regiment furnished the money. That was not true. The miners had great respect for the Ohio militia, and the Fourteenth regiment in particular. They had done their duty under the law, and while in other states the militia were shooting down strikers recklessly, in Ohio peace had been preserved without the loss of a life.

WOMEN GIVE BATTLE.

Wives of Foreign Miners Prevent Non-Unionists Going to Work at Walston, Pa.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, Pa., June 26.—Monday morning an outbreak occurred at Walston in which deputy sheriffs and the wives of foreigners figured to such an extent that many bruised heads resulted. The fight was precipitated by the arrival of a train load of non-unionists under guard of twenty-five Pinkertons, and resulted in the train pulling out without the men getting off. This is the second unsuccessful effort to place men at work.

At Anita the deputies alighted, and lined up in position amid the howls and jeers of the strikers. Then followed about one hundred nonunionists. The strikers made a rush to get at them in the hope of persuading them not to enter the mines, but they were repulsed by the deputies, who charged bayonets. The nonunionists were marched to a house near by, and, after being safely quartered, a strong guard was placed about the building.

It is expected that more nonunionists will be brought in, when another fight is looked for.

STARVATION WAGES, TRULY.

Not Strange That Iron Miners Strike—$9 to $13.50 Per Month.

BESSEMER, Mich., June 26.—The miners are very uneasy. They have just learned for the first time what they are to get for last month's work, the pay in some cases being only from $9 to $13.50. One hundred surface men average 42 2-5 cents a day. The men are organizing by the hundreds. About a hundred laid down their tools at the Colby last Saturday, marched from one shaft to the other and persuaded others to quit. The situation looks serious, and it is feared there will be trouble. The receivers of the Colby mine have closed that property, and will not resume operations until the strike at the other Gogebic mines is settled. Over a thousand men have joined the union in this district within a few days.

Smallpox Near Cleveland.

COLUMBUS, O., June 26.—Dr. Probst, of the board of health, has been officially notified by A. L. Woltz, health officer at Collinwood, six miles east of Cleveland, of the existence of a case of smallpox at that point. The patient came from Wisconsin, and is in quarantine.

Alleged Maladministration in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 26.—City Solicitor Henry Ziegenhein was Monday indicted by the grand jury for the maladministration of his office. Carl Ungar, his former chief deputy, is jointly indicted with the collector. Ungar is charged with embezzling a $1,000 check.

A Concession to Manitoba Catholics.

LONDON, June 26.—The privy council has granted the petition of the Catholics of Manitoba for leave to appeal from the judgment of the supreme court of Canada of February 20, 1894, which it is claimed affects the rights of the Catholic schools of Manitoba.

The Troops Will Be Paid.

COLUMBUS, O., June 26.—The state emergency board has given Adjt. Gen. Howe authority to create a deficiency of $150,000 to meet the expenses incurred in taking troops to the field and maintaining them there during the miners' strike.

The Pope Deeply Affected.

ROME, June 26.—The pope is deeply affected by the assassination of President Carnot. His holiness has advised his entourage to offer prayers that complications between France and Italy may be averted.

The Lady Defeated.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 26.—Mrs. Jas. Thomas, the first lady candidate for the school board in Clark county, was defeated in Victory district by J. M. Garst, who had a small plurality.

Mad Dogs at Large.

GALLIPOLIS, O., June 26.—Mad dogs at Carlton, this county, have been running wild for the past week, creating a great deal of alarm among the farmers of that neighborhood.

Blew Down Buildings.

GALESBURG, Ill., June 26.—A tornado wrecked many buildings east of this place. The grand-stand at the new race track was blown down and several barns were wrecked.

Resolutions by Chicago's Council.

CHICAGO, June 26.—The city council Monday night passed resolutions expressing profound sorrow over the assassination of President Carnot and sympathy for the French republic.

The Sultan Weds.

TANGIER, June 26.—Sultan Abdul Aziz has been married to the daughter of Mulri Ershid, an uncle of the late Sultan Muley Hassan.

TORNADO TORN.

Village of Keighley, Kan., Devastated by the Wind.

Destruction and Death Wrought, But How Much Unknown.

A Group of Stores Demolished and Several People Buried Under the Rubs—Box Cars Lifted Up and Carried Some Distance—Damage Great.

WICHITA, Kan., June 26.—The little village of Keighley, in Butler county, on the line of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, was devasted by a tornado at 7:30 Monday evening, but as there is no telegraph office there it is doubtful whether full details can be obtained.

The meager news received was brought into Leon, some miles distant from the scene of the catastrophe, by a courier Monday night, who rode off for help before learning much of what had happened.

The messenger reports the group of stores on Main street demolished and several people buried under the debris. Several residences were blown down and some of their occupants fatally injured.

The courier only knew of one death, that of a man named Hal Thurston, who, together with three horses, was killed in a barn which was lifted up and turned on its roof.

Several box cars on the track were lifted up and carried some distance by the wind. The courier adds that he thinks the damage in the country will be very great.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

Speaks on the Financial Situation, Declaring Apprehension Not Justified.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The president, in speaking Monday night on the financial situation, said:

"The offer of certain New York banks to replace from their vaults gold drawn from the government treasury for shipment abroad, is certainly thoughtful and patriotic. It not only tends to maintain the treasury gold reserve in good condition, but it adds to the stock of popular confidence, which is at all times important.

"The elements which make up our actual situation do not justify any apprehension; and the administration adheres to its pledge and determination to protect our national credit at all hazards, and to keep the quality of our money equal to the best, so far as the limits of executive power permit.

"Of course, croaking and the spreading of disquieting tales is calculated to injure the strongest financial conditions. I assume, however, that there is too much patriotism among our people and too much familiarity with our resources and capabilities to permit our reserved force and financial vigor to be discredited.

"When the last government bonds were issued to replenish our stock of gold it was nearly as low as now, while outside of our gold we had as available money to pay ordinary expenses of the government only about $19,000,000. We have now, besides our gold and in money applicable to government expense, more than $53,000,000.

"I understand it is charged in certain quarters that the payment of matured obligations is postponed to the amount of $50,000,000 or $75,000,000. This is not true. We are paying as we go in the usual way. Last year, up to June 1, the balance against us arising from the exports and imports of merchandise, excluding gold and silver, was $64,552,046. The balance in our favor for the same period this year was $62,000,562, representing a change in our favor of $127,512,608.

"These conditions, taken in connection with the willingness of our banks to help the treasury during any temporary and unusual drain of gold, ought to satisfy the most conservative of our safety. It must not be forgotten as another favorable feature in the situation that we are no longer purchasing silver and issuing gold obligations in payment therefor."

California Lands Open to Settlement.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 26.—Judge E. L. Ross Monday morning, in the U. S. circuit court, delivered his opinion in the case of the United States vs. the Southern Pacific Railway Co., involving about 700,000 acres of land in Ventura and Los Angeles counties. Judge Ross finds for the government and throws open this vast track of land to settlement.

Safe-Blower Egan Killed.

CHICAGO, June 26.—Edward Egan, a safe-blower of national reputation, was fatally shot Monday while resisting arrest. Egan ran for several blocks, pursued by officers, reaching his room, and stationing himself behind a folding bed, fired until his revolver was emptied. His shots went wild, and he finally fell, pierced by four bullets.

Heaviest Man on Earth Dead.

DANVILLE, Ind., June 26.—John Hanson Craig, the acknowledged heaviest man in the world, died at his home here at noon Monday after a short illness from diabetes. He was born in Kentucky, and was about 50 years of age and weighed 700 pounds.

Emma Juch Married.

STANFORD, Ct., June 26.—Miss Emma Juch, the prima donna, and Francis L. Wellman, the assistant district attorney of New York, were married Monday afternoon at St. Andrew's Episcopal church in this city. Rev. Peter McFarland officiated.

Costa Rica's Ex-President.

NEW YORK, June 26.—Jose Rodriguez, ex-president of Costa Rica, and his family, arrived Monday by the steamer Athos from Port Limon. They will make a tour of the United States and Canada.

Serious Runaway.

PARIS, Ky., June 26.—O. P. Clay, a well known man of this county, while out driving was seriously injured in a runaway.

SYMPATHY OF NATIONS.

The British Court in Mourning—Emperor William's Condolence to Mme. Carnot—Other Expressions of Regret.

LONDON, June 26.—Following the precedent adopted at the death of the late President James A. Garfield, the British court will go into mourning for a week out of respect to the memory of the late President Carnot. Bulletins posted at the White lodge, Richmond, Monday morning, as well as at York house, the Madison house and other points, say that the infant heir presumptive to the throne of Great Britain and Ireland is doing well.

The news of the assassination of President Carnot caused much grief at the White lodge, where only Sunday the duke of York received a message of congratulation from the late president.

LONDON, June 26.—The house of commons Monday adopted, on Sir William Vernon Harcourt's motion, an address to the crown, expressing sorrow, indignation and abhorrence of the murder of President Carnot and sympathy with France in her bereavement.

BERLIN, June 26.—The assassination of President Carnot has caused a profound sensation in Berlin. All classes of people are indignant and much sympathy is expressed for France.

Emperor William upon receiving the news at Kiel immediately telegraphed to Mme. Carnot expressing his condolence in warmly sympathetic terms.

Chancellor Von Caprivi, Herr Freiherr, Marschall Von Bieberstein, the minister for foreign affairs, and all the representatives of foreign nations in this city called upon M. Herbette, the French ambassador, so soon as the death of President Carnot was announced and expressed their sympathy for France.

In addition to the Austrian ambassador, Herr L. Von Szogyeny, and the Italian ambassador, Lieut. Gen. Count Lanza, made calls at the ministry for foreign affairs.

The general public of Germany fully recognizes the gravity of the crime from the political standpoint.

ROME, June 26.—All the Italian bourses have been closed out of sympathy for the great loss France has sustained by the assassination of President Carnot.

AN AWFUL FATE

Of Five Occupants of a Wagon While Crossing a Railway Track.

HARTFORD, Ky., June 26.—At McHenry, a station on the Chesapeake and Ohio Southwestern railroad, five miles from this place, a collision between a train and a wagon occurred, which resulted in the death of Sallie Peay, aged 28, Dot Peay, aged 11, Sallie Smith, aged 6, Madge Smith, aged 3, and James O. Maddox, aged 35.

The Smith children live in Texas and the Peays at Russellville, in this state.

Maddox, who is a relative, was taking them to the station in a two-horse wagon, and in approaching the depot was obliged to cross the railroad track. The crossing lies at the foot of a hill, and the approach of any train is obscured by a growth of willows.

When the wagon was fairly upon the track, train No. 6 came around the curve at full speed, striking the wagon and instantly killing the Peay girls and Sallie Smith. Madge Smith and Maddox lingered for some time in agony and died. No occupant of the wagon was left alive, and nobody knows just how the awful fatality occurred.

The Body in Paris.

PARIS, June 26.—The body of the dead president arrived at Paris at 3:11 Tuesday morning with a guard of honor, and there was an assemblage of several hundred persons at the station. The oak casket was placed in a hearse and driven rapidly across the city, reaching the Elysee Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock. Mme. Carnot was the only member of the family accompanying the remains. Her courage was more pitiful than tears. As she followed the body of her husband through the black draped waiting room, her face was like marble, and all the more sad in contrast to the bright colors which she still wore.

Jailed on a Charge of Murder.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 26.—Peyton G. Bowman, the Kolbite populist leader of Alabama, was remanded to jail for the alleged murder of Eugene Jefferies, the 19-year-old boy. Bowman's brother, John, who was an accessory to the crime, was bound over in the sum of $5,000.

Anti-Italian Riot.

PARIS, June 26.—An anti-Italian riot took place at Grenoble Monday afternoon and at one time threatened serious results. The prefect, with the aid of a strong force of police, succeeded in quelling the disturbance. The mob subsequently paraded the streets, singing "The Marseilles."

Caught at Last.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 26.—Wm. P. and George Taylor, the two brothers charged with the murder of the Meeks family, near Browning, Mo., on the night of May 10, were captured Monday morning at Batesville, this state, by Deputy Sheriff J. C. Strut, of Baxter, and brought to this city at noon.

A Family Poisoned.

CHICAGO, June 26.—August Duboiz, of No. 51 Johnston street, his wife and six children were poisoned by eating ice cream or lemon cream pie. Three physicians had to be called to attend the family. It is believed that two of the children will die.

The Republican League.

DENVER, Col., June 26.—Delegates are arriving by almost every train to attend the national convention of the Republican league. Many women are delegates. It is said that the resolutions will be chary on the silver question.

Dead Bodies Recovered.

CARDIFF, Wales, June 26.—A dispatch from Pont-Y-Pridd Monday afternoon says that 172 bodies have been recovered from the Albion colliery, the scene of the fire damp explosion of Saturday.

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POLITICS is a very uncertain thing. Even your friends will sometimes deceive you.

THE only place to keep cool in Portsmouth is in the cold storage of J. L. Marsh or in some ice house.

THE Ironton base ball club must "hoodoo" the Portsmouth clubs. The boys here will win a game off the Ironton club "if it takes all summer;" so we give them fair warning.

IT is rumored around town that Funk's trusted leader betrayed him in the convention. Even delegates of the Scioto delegation charge him with treachery. Can this be true?

THE assassination of President Carnot at Lyons was the deed of a villainous Italian. This is becoming too common a crime. Men high in official position are becoming the mark of cranks who seek glory and notoriety. There should be no quarter given to such men. This man's head should be beneath the guillotine within a week. In Chicago Pendergast, the assassin of Mayor Harrison, still lives, and thousands of dollars have been spent in an endeavor to convict him of a crime of which there is no doubt whatever.

HILL seems to be the most popular senator among Republicans today, but in a few months he may change his mind somewhat. He has not said he would not vote for the bill, nor has he at any time endorsed any of the trusts of Republicanism. He has embarrassed the course of the tariff bill, and by doing so has aided the Republican Senators in delaying its passage.

By this course, business has been kept depressed, but in every other respect he has voted directly against the Republicans.

Business demoralization is the goal of Republican senatorial ambition.

LISTEN to this warning voice from the capitol on the 4th of March, 1836. Andrew Jackson foresaw it all. In his memorable address to the American people on retiring from the Presidency he said: "The corporations and wealthy individuals who are engaged in large manufacturing establishments desire a tariff to increase their gains. Designing politicians will support it to conciliate their favor and to obtain the means of profuse expenditure for the purpose of purchasing influence in other quarters. Do not allow yourselves, my fellow-citizens, to be misled on this subject. The federal government cannot collect a surplus for such purposes without violating the principles of the constitution of and assuming powers that have not been granted. It is, moreover, a system of injustice, and if persisted in will inevitably lead to corruption and must end in ruin."

Our neighbor has been crying that Jackson was a protectionist, but these words of wisdom are not calculated to verify it.

THE Blade, commenting on an item in the Maysville Bulletin, has the following:

> Here and there there is a Democrat with the intelligence to understand that it was the plate upon which the tariff was put, and not the pig tin, but the editor of the Maysville Bulletin is not one of them. Pig tin has always been admitted free of duty.

Now read this, from the Pittsburg Post:

> McKinley put a duty of 4 cents a pound on black or pig tin to develop tin mining in the Black Hills. It didn't develop to the extent of a pound, but in the meantime the secret tax goes on. The year his bill passed we imported only 35,000,000 pounds; last year the imports ran up to 85,000,000 pounds, on which American manufacturers are taxed 4 cents a pound. It means in a measure the tax on tin plate, but Cronemyer & Co. are insisting that this tax shall remain or go higher, have nothing to say about the tax on pig tin. This tariff robbery by McKinley is about as profound as his shutting off Spanish revenue from sugar and giving the sugar trust $22,000,000, and the foreign planters $11,000,000. McKinley's operations in sugar amounted to a loss to the treasury of about $7,000,000 for the current year, which is nearly the precise amount of the deficiency between government receipts and expenditures.

If this is not sufficient to convince the editor of the Blade let him turn in the McKinley bill, of course he has a copy; to section 350, and read for himself. Pig tin has paid a tariff of 4 cents a pound since July 1, 1890. We ask the Blade to be honest enough to publish this section. It will not refer to it again. It never makes a specific statement but can be disproved by record testimony.

A New Western Industry.

Horse slaughtering on an extensive scale is soon to be entered upon in the vicinity of Portland, Ore. Horses are too plentiful out in this section of the country, and a low estimate places the number of half-breed wild horses in Oregon, Washington, Montana, Nevada and Idaho at two million head. For these animals no market can be found and they serve to keep down the price of good stock. Now these horses are to be cleaned out and a company has been formed that expects to reap large profits from their destruction. This company is to build large battoirs near the city and there kill the animals. The flesh will be rendered of its oil, and the residue, with the bones and hoofs, will be made into a fertilizer. The hides, that also have a market value, will be salted, and the hair will be used for upholstery work. A portion of the meat will be compressed for use as chicken food.

THE ancient worthy who said that doubtless God might have made a better berry than the strawberry but that doubtless God never did should have lived to this day to witness the growing empire of his favorite fruit. The area of cultivated strawberry is extending at an almost incalculable rate, and, with this, the length of the strawberry season. It is estimated that it will require three hundred cars this season to transport the strawberry crop of the old Arkansas town of Van Buren. There is hope for a world, feelingly remarks the Kansas City Star, in which the humanizing influence of strawberries and cream is constantly extending.

A KANSAS CITY woman who died a few days ago was the possessor of four large dogs, which became very much attached to her. These animals, when she died, went into the room where the body was lying, and every one who tried to approach the body was savagely driven off by them. The undertaker who had been asked to see that the body was prepared for burial made a trip to the house, but was obliged to beat a retreat before one of the dogs, which is very large and powerful. He was obliged to call upon the neighbors for assistance.

A DISCOVERY of the greatest importance to science has just been made in Gove county, near the Smoky Hill river, in Kansas. H. M. Sternburg, of Lawrence, while prospecting around Castle Rock, has unearthed the entire form of a petrified elephant, together with numerous parts of lions, camels and other animals. Geologists say there are evidences here of petrified fish of all varieties, and that in many of the caverns may be seen scales which must have come from fish of monstrous proportions.

TECUMSEH, O. T., is evidently lacking in the refinements of civilization. Thirty "leading citizens" of that place have been indicted for horse stealing and will probably be sent to the penitentiary unless a mob gets hold of them first. In Chicago, says the Herald of that city, leading citizens tap the water mains and steal the city water, and everybody says they are deuced shrewd business men.

THE latest educational report from Louisiana, the most illiterate state in the union, is quite encouraging. It appears that the percentage of school attendance of both whites and blacks is increasing. The aggregate now being 152,000, against 81,000 ten years ago; and there is reason to believe that the people are fully determined to remove the stigma of exceptional ignorance that has long rested upon them.

WARRENSBURG, Pa., has a mathematical wonder, who is an imbecile and does not know one figure from another. His pastime is to give off-hand answers to problems like this: "What will 520⅝ yards of calico amount to at 5⅝ cents per yard with a discount of 5 and 2½ per cent.?" It takes but a moment for him to answer such questions and the reply is said to be invariably correct.

IT would require about forty lines of type to enumerate the institutional beneficiaries under the will of that eminent and philanthropic Hebrew, the late Jesse Seligman, of New York. His personal property is valued in the petition for probate at one million dollars; his realty, wherein his great wealth lay, is not mentioned.

HENRY BARBER, an old negro of Tallahassee, claims to possess prophetic finger nails. One week before any event of great importance the nails on his left hand turn green. This, he says, took place before all the big disasters that have occurred in the country during the last twenty years.

JAMES McCLAIN owns a farm near Mayfield, Ky., which he has bought and paid for out of money made by tramping over different states digging ginseng to sell. He laughs at the story of hard times, and asserts that ginseng digging is as profitable as ever.

A MAN who read in a city newspaper an advertisement of a first-class custom clothing chopper wanted and who was curious to know the duties of a chopper, learned upon inquiry that his work is the actual cutting out of the cloth after the pattern is made.

THE Ohio senate has enacted an excellent law, placing the heavy penalty of two thousand dollars' fine and five years' imprisonment on the publication of obscene literature.

"Many of the citizens of Rainsville, Indiana are never without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house," says Jacob Brown, the leading merchant of the place. This remedy has proven of so much value for colds, croup and whooping cough in children that few mothers who know its worth are willing to be without it. For sale by Fisher & Streich.

Nothing reserved at our auction sale. Everything goes at some price. Chairs for the ladies. COVERSTON & Co.

A STRANGE SECRET.

Written by a Portsmouth Novelist—Judge of His Merits.

Mr. Narrison had come to our little village, in the southern part of the Buckeye state, many, many years ago. He was a man of medium height and strong of build; and when he first came among us his hair was raven black, which as a back-ground to a thoughtful, almost, I might say, careworn face, set off by a moustache of the same dark hue, gave him quite a handsone appearance.

Though then quite small, I can well remember how all the girls of the village vied with each other in trying to attract his attention, but in vain. His heart seemed to them to be adamant, as also, if they had but known it, so seemed it to him.

But after years, he at last succumbed to the charms of one of the fairest maidens, and made a settled home. He proved himself an affectionate husband and a loving father to his family, and entire happiness was marred by only one thing, seemingly, at least—he loved strong drink.

With the joys and sorrows of his married life, our story will not deal, however; but with a reminiscence of his early life as I have lately heard it, not from his lips, but from those of a friend of his, who knew him as a youth.

Thus speaks his friend: "Born of wealthy parents in the Keystone state, Henry Narrison was a bright, intelligent boy, apt in school, but full of mischief. Many are the scoldings I, as well as other boys, have received from the schoolmaster, for yelling with pain upon sitting down suddenly on a crooked pin set by Master Henry. And even the schoolmaster himself was not exempt from inroads of the mischievous fellow, who always managed to cover up his tracks so well as never to be found out, though we all guessed pretty well who was at fault.

"But with all his mischievous pranks, we all liked him, for he was kind-hearted, and would never permit one boy to impose upon another.

"At sixteen, having reached what he then considered the height of education, (which consisted of a limited knowledge of arithmetic, reading, writing, and spelling) he determined to leave school and go to work, though, as his father truly said, there was no necessity for such a thing. But as Henry would have his own way, he soon afterwards secured a position as clerk in the village store.

"Here he became quite a favorite, and an object of great attention from the younger members of the fair sex, among whom there was quite a rivalry as to which could eventually win him. This was quite amusing to a young fellow of Henry's cast; but after some time he found that things were coming to be very serious, and he must determine which one of the lassies he really did like best, and stop his flirtations. This he found not hard to do, for bright-eyed Tillie Mays had already captivated his youthful heart.

"People soon saw who was his choice, and smiled in their sleeves, for they indeed made a handsome young couple, and were to be found at almost every public gathering, from meeting at the old log church to the autumnal husking bee, where Henry was the envy of his comrades, though none of them dared trying to 'cut him out,' and where Tillie fairly made the other girls wish she were out of the way, not because they disliked her, but that they might have a chance to win the hero.

"By this time Henry had begun to think that he could not only take care of himself, but fancied he could keep a wife also, though he was far from being of age, when he should legally be 'his own man' as he styled it. But as his father was very indulgent, and he was really a very capable young man, with Tillie's consent, the day was set, when the merry bells should ring out the nuptial chime.

"How merrily things went on! He bought a suit of the finest of clothes, clothed his feet in dainty calf-skin boots, his hands in fine gloves, and capped the climax (and his head) with an imported hat! How merrily went the time with the lassies, as they gathered in to assist the bride-elect in the making of her trousseau! They sang, they danced about, talked, laughed, complimented their fair hostess to their hearts content! Their minds indeed were full of joy!

"Ah! so it is in the course of nature, the darkest clouds are preceded by the brightest sunshine!

"I must for awhile speak in the present time. I see the happy throng gather on the bridal eve. The bride is ready waiting. How beautiful she seems beneath that white and airy veil a creature too fair by far for be ven than earth, whose barren breast is now covered with a cold and glistening snow mantle! In comes the groom, his happy face all radiant with smiles as rapturously he gazes on her who is soon he says to be his heart, to be his bride! 'Tis he, an sweet youth, be happy while you may! O that you might be ever so, O!

"Now sparkles bright, the great and roaring fire as it sheds its radiant glow over all the house, and sends its sparks in showers upon the happy, youthful throng! They are ready for the ceremony. The bride stands trustingly beside her lover, in the full glare of the roaring fire. The room is hushed and still! A solemn silence breaks over all. Can it be the silence that ushers in a tragedy? Suddenly, a shriek! And all stand horrified to see the bride enveloped in flames, caused by a stray spark upon her draperies!

"A scene of confusion. Women scream and faint, and men stand pale with terror and distress! All seem at a loss what to do, when suddenly Henry seizes his great coat and wraps it around his unfortunate sweet-heart, smothering out the flames! But too late! too late! She has already swallowed flame, and in a moment lies dying in his arms!

"Henry had come to wed a bride, he now must bury one! One can imagine the consternation that reigned in the hearts of those wedding guests, but who can fully sympathize with that heart-broken bride-groom? For days, weeks, months, thereafter, he seemed as one in a dream, and then he began to drink deeply to drown his grief. Suddenly he disappeared, and no one knew in the least his whereabouts, until I in my travels, happened to drift into this quiet village, where I heard of him for the first time in years.

"When I met him last, he told me all his history since he left home. It seems that he wandered around a great deal before he at last settled down here, in the meantime never having heard a word from home, and never having let his relatives know of him. Moreover, he told me that he had sworn off from drinking, and intended hereafter to lead a sober, upright, manly life, and you may imagine how glad I, his boyhood friend, was to hear of it. I do not suppose Henry's wife or family ever heard a word about his early life and its sorrows, and if they hear this, will doubtless be greatly surprised."

Henry Narrison's friend ceased speaking, and I walked off to think over what he had told me. Now I could see the reason of the strange man's many "sprees," and of his peculiar demeanor; for, I reasoned, they must have been to drown recurring thoughts of his lost love. I could now understand why it was his knitted brow seldom relaxed its frown, and why he seldom smiled. I could look under all these things and see the happy, joyous young man, before his bitter, youthful sorrow.

How many, oh, how many are there, carrying some dead and vanished hope within their breasts, and brooding over it and sorrowing for it all alone!

How many are there, whose lives have been blasted by some terrible calamity, which makes them wish to die, and thus escape their woe!

Then let us not be to harsh in our judgment of those who seem cross and sullen and strange to us, remembering they may indeed be heroes, upon whom such things are but scars of battles which we, perhaps, could never have won.

SURGERY IN THE STONE AGE.

Prehistoric Man Knew How to Perform Trephining.

Prof. Victor Horsley, F. R. S., lately made some interesting assertions in an address in Toynbee hall, London, upon "Trephining in the Stone Age." He said that there was no doubt that these prehistoric people, though little better than savages of a low type, performed this delicate operation, and the proof of it to surgeons was convincing. If the wound in an injured skull healed the sharp edges become rounded, and if there was a kind of worm-eaten appearance round what was once a wound it meant that there was inflammation at the time of healing. Prof. Horsley exhibited representations of prehistoric skulls which presented these appearances, and urged that it was sufficient proof that the owners survived these operations, performed something like five thousand years ago. He found that in one instance the hole had been scraped out of the skull, and mentioned that even at the present time among the Kabyles, in the north of Africa, two days were occupied in performing the operation. Trephining was also accomplished by drilling a number of holes with a bone drill, then breaking down the small partitions, and so releasing the desired piece of bone. Again, the operation could be effected with a stone saw, and skulls were represented that showed that after the periosteum had been scraped away sawing had been resorted to. Primitive people, he said, were very careless as to these operations, and even five hundred years ago in Germany a piece of the skull was removed as a cure for melancholy. If a savage suffered in the head from a blow trephining was accomplished, and doubtless the sufferer from fits, who was considered to be possessed, was relieved by a similar operation. From the skulls he had examined he found that the holes were generally made immediately above those parts of the brain where an injury would induce fits. Often the piece of bone was replaced in the skull and at other times it was split up into amulets. No doubt the dwellers in the stone age looked into the operation as something very special, and considered that the bone removed had supernatural properties.

OLD WORLD ETIQUETTE.

Strange Social Customs Which Are Observed in Europe and Asia.

In Sweden, if you address the poorest person on the street you must lift your hat, says the Philadelphia Press. The same courtesy is insisted upon if you pass a lady on the stairway. To enter a reading room or a bank with one's hat on is regarded as a bad breach of manners. To place your hand on the arm of a lady is a grave and objectionable familiarity.

In Holland a lady is expected to retire precipitately if she should enter a store or a restaurant where men are congregated. She waits until they have transacted their business and departed.

Ladies seldom rise in Spain to receive a male visitor, and they rarely accompany him to the door. For a Spaniard to give a lady—even his wife—his arm when out walking is looked upon as a decided violation of propriety.

In Persia, among the aristocracy, a visitor sends notice an hour or two before calling, and gives a day's notice if the visit is one of great importance. He is met by servants before he reaches the house, and other considerations are shown him according to relative rank. The left, and not the right is considered the position of honor.

No Turk will enter a sitting-room with dirty shoes. The upper classes wear tight-fitting shoes, with galoches over them. The latter, which receive all the dirt and dust, are left outside the door. The Turk never washes in dirty water. Water is poured over his hands, so that when polluted it runs away.

In Syria the people never take off their caps or turbans when entering the house or visiting a friend, but they always leave their shoes at the door. There are no mats or scrapers outside and the floors inside are covered with expensive rugs, kept very clean in Moslem houses and used to kneel upon while saying prayers.

WELL TO REMEMBER.

THAT a dress made of five-cent chalie is surprisingly cool, and will wear longer than one would suppose from the thin nature of the goods.

THAT a handful of iron tacks are good to clean out bottles and fruit cans with; half fill the jars with soapsuds, then add the tacks and shake.

THAT a box in the kitchen, or drawer or shelf in the cupboard will hold paper bags, also the strings, and they will be found useful many times.

THAT newspapers should be saved for kitchen use, to wipe the stove off, to polish the teakettle, to wipe the flatirons, doubled to place under a hot kettle or hot dish we wish to place on the table.

Tariff Reform a Certainty.

Tariff reform will come forward again and will keep on coming forward until the people force their senators and representatives to obey their will and dissociate this government forever from the idea that it is a part of a government's functions to "protect" one set of Americans at the expense of another set of Americans. Our government is founded upon the idea that all men are equal before the laws and that the laws shall bear equally upon all. To legislate so that one set of Americans must pay another set of Americans two prices for all that they buy in order that the latter set of Americans may make fortunes is a total negation of this idea and is tyranny pure and simple. We repeat that the corrupt senators may beat tariff reform in this congress, but it will come back and will never cease its cry until the cry is heeded.—Richmond Times.

Come To Time.

The only excuse for tolerating further delay is disposed of. That excuse was that the democrats were not quite sure of their ground. They are now as sure as they ever will be.—Chicago Herald.

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AUCTION EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK AT COVERSTON'S

CITY DADS.

Bill Ross Explains That Brussels Carpet Purchase.

City Solicitor Ball Declares in Favor of Economy,

And Warns Councilmen to Go Slow, as the City Finances Are in a Trencherous Condition—Brainy Commissioner Richter Makes a Report—Ordinances Passed.

It is entirely too warm in the council chamber these nights for the average councilman to indulge in any pyrotechnics, and in consequence the sessions are for business only and as short as possible.

At the adjourned meeting last evening there were present Messrs. Doty, Ross, Ridenour, Connolley, Goodman, Wall, Bannon, Williams and Neill.

When the minutes of the previous regular meeting were read, Captain Williams called attention to one item—A. Brunner, carpets for engine house and council chamber, $207.67—saying that he thought it extravagant and foolish to purchase such an expensive carpet for an engine house. Mr. Thompson said of the sum mentioned about $175 was paid for the engine house carpet. Continuing, Captain Williams warned council that such useless expenditures must stop somewhere. The city was hard up and it was time to call a halt.

When the report of the city solicitor was called for, Mr. Ball addressed the council briefly on the same lines as did Capt. Williams, making a firm stand for economy in the administration of city affairs. Mr. Ball thought council should do its own contracting and not delegate such powers to its committees. The finances of the city were in a trencherous condition and extravagance in whatever form should be discouraged. There was no question but that the engine house was furnished extravagantly, but he did not know the expensive furnishings had been ordered or he would have objected. In the future he would scan more closely the expenditures of council and see if they were made profitably. Council should instruct committees what to buy and what not to buy and how much to spend. It was necessary, for the safety of the city.

Mr. Wall submitted the report of the cemetery trustees showing that on April 1, 1893 there was a balance of $1,344.7 in the hands of the trustees; since then there had been realized from the sale of lots $1,621.9 making a total of $2,965.15. The total expenditures of the committee during the year, for salaries, repairs, etc., was $1,847.30 leaving a balance of $1,-117.86 in the treasury. Report was signed by H. S. Grimes and H. H. Montgomery, trustees and was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mr. Wall submitted a brilliant and extremely humorous report of a brilliant and very humorous officer, superintendent of streets Richter who had collected no money and paid out none. It was noticable that Richter was the only man in the chamber who laughed when the report was read.

Charles Wagner sent in a communication to council saying, he would have the greenhouse removed by June 28 and, would leave the park in much better condition than when he received it nineteen years ago, it then being a mud hole. Mr. Wall moved that the city clerk be instructed to pay Mr. Wagner his $100 as per contract for taking care of the park when the committee on parks and public property were satisfied that Mr. Wagner had removed his belongings. Passed.

The solicitor reported that street commissioner had notified Market street property owners of proposed improvement. Matter of compensation for same referred to street committee for investigation and report at next meeting.

Mr. Doty submitted the following report on the turnpike matter:

Mr. Connolley moved that the report be accepted as showing progress and that the same committee be continued. Mr. Doty thought this quite a big job, and, as he was working for glory only, was not at all anxious to go on with the investigation. Council was enamored of Mr. Doty, however, and decided to keep him at the wheel.

The engineer was instructed to look after the alley between Eighth and Ninth and John and North Waller streets, and report at next meeting, on recommendation of street committee, who had examined the alley and decided to improve it at once.

The committee on streets reported that they had found a very unsatisfactory condition of affairs in the opening of Thirteenth street, from Union to Offnere street. It would cost in the neighborhood of $8,000, and the committee thought that too rich for their blood.

The matter of opening the alley between Scott and Offnere streets was referred to the committe on streets and engineer for investigation.

The solicitor was instructed to take the necessary steps to open the John street alley, provided the property owners interested were willing to bear the expense of opening, the reason for this being that no one would be benefited by the proposed measure excepting those residing in the immediate vicinity.

The street commissioner was instructed to remove a pile of dirt in the alley between Seventh and Eighth streets in the rear of the colored church.

President Ridenour called Mr. Doty to the chair and said that in the matter of opening Lincoln street the property belonging to the N. & W. was still under fence, and as that property had never been designated for street purposes, that step would have to be taken before the property could be occupied. Accordingly he moved that the solicitor be instructed to take the necessary steps to have the land occupied. Carried.

Frank Trent, ex-fireman, was allowed fourteen days' pay.

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO, June 25, 1894.
To the City Council:

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of your instructions of June 5, 1894, we went to Waverly to investigate the records of the Portsmouth and Columbus Turnpike company, to determine what interest the city has or had in the funds of that company.

Executor John W. Gregg, one of the executors of the estate of James Emmitt, in whose possession they were, showed us the books of the company and aided us in every way possible during the short time we had to stay.

We found that at a meeting of the stockholders of the company, held February 12, 1880, that the sale to Scioto county of the portion of the pike in its limits was authorized at the price of $8,000, $500 per mile, the county surrendering its stock and accrued dividends. At that meeting the record shows that John T. Miller represented and voted the shares of this city, 2,000 in number. There were 15,234 shares of stock voted at the meeting.

One of the attorneys of the Emmitt estate, stated to us that one of the former councilmen of this city told him that at the time of the sale to the county the city also surrendered its stock. This can hardly be true, and the record of meeting authorizing the sale says nothing about it, and so important an item would not have been omitted.

Since our return home, Mr. Miller has stated to us that he was never at the meeting representing the city and did not vote.

We found in the records examined that the money obtained from Scioto county was ordered distributed in a dividend of 5 per cent. As far as we were able to discover, this 5 per cent. was never paid to the city.

We further found that February 12, 1895, Ross county bought the portion of the pike within its borders, 12¾ miles, for $1,030 per mile, in all $13,132.50. The county also surrendered its stock in the transaction.

The last that we were able to find was that on June 25, 1892, the portion of the pike within Pike county was sold to that county for $11,250.

As to what was done with these two amounts, equaling $24,382.50, we did not discover, but it is certain that this city did not get its share of the same.

Your committee was cramped for time and had not anticipated so much trouble in the investigation of the records. The books are not to be found in compact form and the true standing of affairs cannot be had without a much more thorough investigation. We would recommend that the investigation be ordered.

THEO. DOTY,
HARRY BALL,
Committee.

Hon. Wm. E. Ross, chairman of the committee on parks and public property, made an eloquent defense of his action in purchasing that engine house carpet. Before purchasing, said William, he had dressed himself in his Sunday best and made a round of calls upon sundry fashionable ladies and had talked carpet to them in great shape. Then William proceeded to tell what he had learned: The kind of carpet he had purchased, his lady friends said, would wear six or seven years longer, and would be cheaper in the end. When council gave a committee power to do a thing, he thought they should have enough confidence in that committee to credit them with enough sense to do the thing in the interest of the people.

Although no person said anything, it was evident from the expression on the faces of William's colleagues that they doubted his judgment when it came to buying carpets for engine houses.

Mr. Ross said he had three bids for engine houses as follows: For the Ninth street hose house, $450; for the one between Ninth and Tenth on Gay, $200; and the one on Third street $410. All bids were rejected on motion of Mr. Connolley, as the city would need the places to hold elections in, and the price was too low anyway.

Committee on streets and engineer were instructed to see that necessary repairs were made in block paving in front of Seventh street engine house. Mr. Ross reported that he had sold one-half the park fence and would have the money for the same by July 21.

Mr. Bannon called attention to the lights at the corners of Ninth and Tenth and Chillicothe streets. Referred to committee on light.

Laws and claims committee was granted further time to revise the rules of council.

Mr. Bannon read for the first time an ordinance to regulate acts of misconduct on street cars, such as smoking when forbidden, the use of obscene, profane or indecent language, refusal to pay fare, and for jumping on, or clinging to a moving street car. For violation of this ordinance, a fine not exceeding $30 is imposed, upon conviction.

Mr. Doty read ordinances for the first time to establish the grades of Eleventh street, from the east line of the Crawford addition and Fourth street from Offnere street east to the east line of the First National Bank addition.

Ordinances to abandon portions of alleys in the Board of Trade addition, between Seventh and Eighth streets, and first alley north of Glover street in Glover addition were read for the third time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Bannon, council decided to meet next Monday night, instead of Wednesday night, the regular meeting, the latter being July 4th.

The solicitor was instructed to bring in an ordinance enabling council to have the expense of street sweeping paid by property owners benefited, on motion of Mr. Doty.

Council then adjourned.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

McPherson Council Banquets at Their Hall.

One Hundred and Fifty Members and Guests are Entertained and Feasted—Speeches, Music and Recitations Make Up an Evening of Rare Entertainment.

Another year has rolled round, and the Royal Arcanum is still moving upward in its march of progress, and McPherson Council is proudly keeping up with the procession. Last night at its beautiful and commodious hall on Chillicothe street it celebrated its 17th anniversary in royal style. The Portsmouth lodge numbers 107 of the most intelligent, prosperous and genial citizens of our city, and the invited guests received a most cordial welcome at the hands of their members and their most excellent wives and beautiful daughters and sisters.

The literary program followed the opening exercises of the lodge and the address of welcome by Regent Prescott. The first address of the evening was given by Grand Trustee John K. Duke. After jollying the audience somewhat, Mr. Duke said, "In looking backward fifteen or sixteen years and in running over the grand increase in in the various kinds of business, it will be noticed that co-operative societies and those having insurance attached, have kept fully abreast in advancing columns with the various industries and commercial enterprises of the times.

In no period of the world's growth, perhaps, has organizations of all kinds been held to be so important. This is owing, no doubt, to the fact that by association comes strength. In every engagement in our business enterprises where the continuation of the lives of those carrying the greatest burdens are at stake, in every vocation where everything depends upon the continuation of life, and every head of the family who supports others, where wife and children must be cared for, there comes the beneficient and protective influence of co-operative life insurance, such as Royal Arcanum, and its importance is so regarded at the present time."

He presented the claims of the order, and declare "Royal Arcanum, it is needless to add, stands at the head of the list of co-operative insurance.

Its stability and growth now go hand in hand in the most benevolent institution and the insured, at the present time, is not only getting more for his money, but he has added confidence in an association which is doing a legitimate business."

Mr. Duke was followed by an instrumental duet, by Mrs. Maddox and Mrs. Cole, which received merited applause.

Mr. E. E. Ewing was introduced. His speech was devoted to illustrating the fraternal features of the order, in language somewhat as follows:

"About twenty-five years ago there appeared in the Atlantic Monthly a story the title of which was 'Can a Soul Hide Itself?' Great ingenuity was attributed to the man who would go forth to hide his identity from all the rest of mankind, but, despite his efforts, there was something which confronted him that made him known to some one who had known him before. This was exemplified in his late attendance upon the Supreme Council. Not expecting to meet any but his Ohio brothers who knew him, he soon found himself in pleasant accord with one who thirty years ago was the adjutant-general of the Confederate General Gordon, and who was now his friend, not because he was his enemy then, but because of the brotherhood that is taught by the Royal Arcanum.

"The first supreme regent, though a resident of Boston, he found to have been closely identified with enterprises in Athens county some thirty years ago. The first supreme orator also of Boston began his career in the West and drifted to Boston, where he established a school of oratory, and at whose feet sat, as a pupil, the gifted Nellie Brown, so favorably known to our people. The supreme chaplain, also of Boston, stated that he closely missed a call to serve a church in a neighboring city. And so the fact was exemplified that it needed but a thread upon which to string the common accidents of life and the whole world became akin. The Royal Arcanum furnished such a thread, and, more, it furnished protection to those we shall leave behind us when the associations of this life shall cease, by reason of the fell destroyer that shall, one by one, lay all of us low."

Mr. Ewing was followed by medical examiner Dr. P. J. Kline. He said: "In this case as in all instances when another doctor is called in consultation, I must say that the treatment of the gentlemen who have preceded me is all right." He spoke of the fraternal features of the order, and since the doctor is a good G. A. R. man he switched in some of their phases in speaking of the social side of the order. Here the occasion was enlivened by a beautiful song, by Mrs. J. W. Dodge. Grand Secretary J. M. McKenstry being present responded in a neat speech giving the many points favorable to the order. After a short introduction he paid the home lodge this compliment. "McPherson council has been honored with two grand regents and grand trustee, supreme representative in the supreme council, thus evidencing the character and class of men composing your council." Continuing he said: "The entire order has shown excellent growth during the past year or two."

"During the last months of March, April and May 5,455 approved applications have been received at the office of supreme secretary, and notwithstanding the financial stringency of the past year the growth of the order has been equal to any past year in Ohio. The grand total in the seventeen years of the existence of the order has grown from a membership of 8 to 15,400, and has paid out in benefits during that time $27,208,000.

"The total expense to benefits is about 2 1-4 per cent., thereby making it much cheaper than the ordinary form of life insurance, while the fraternal side of the order is exercised to the fullest extent, excelling all other fraternal orders.

"Not only has every death loss been paid, but there is now over $500,000 above all pending liabilities as a reserve fund for deceased members' dependent families.

"The largest number of assessments ever accruing in one year has been fifteen, but the average is much less than this. Assessments are graded according to age, being $1 at 21 and increasing as the member grows older until it reaches $4 at 55.

"The fraternity of the order is evidenced by the fact that where a member is disabled by sickness or old age, the lodge keeps up his dues, keeping him in good standing.

"The average age of the order is decreasing, which is accounted for from its growing popularity among the young men of the country, and its social standing is first among the organizations of the country.

"During the spring months, when our assessments are heaviest, suspensions for all causes were only three per thousand.

"No company is more prompt than the Royal Arcanum in the paymant of death losses. The average time elapsing after proof of death is not over twenty days, and the payment of a loss of $3,000 requires but an assessment of 2 cents from each member of the entire order. Judging from the character of the membership of McPherson Council, they are each good for that amount."

The speech of Mr. McKinstry was well received and was followed by the Mandolin club. This popular club discoursed sweet music at intervals the entire evening. Miss Evans and Mr. Maddox and Miss Johnson each sang a solo. They are too well known to require comment. The Criterion quartette sang two selections and were encored each time. Miss. Kline gave a humorous recitation and maintained her well-earned reputa- as an elocutionist.

The entire evening was enjoyed by all present and the Society of the Royal Arcanum of Portsmouth may well claim a prominent position socially among the many secret orders of our city. There is no city in the state where the social side of secret orders is more prominent than here, and last evening's entertainment by McPherson council sustains the well-earned reputation of the city.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co. Props. Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, wholesale druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK.

On the Main Line of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

On the crest of the Alleghenies, 3,000 feet above tide water, is one of the most charming and healthful resorts and contains 800 acres of forest and glade. The temperature is delightful and hay fever and malaria are unknown. The park is lighted by electricity. The hotels and boarding houses are first-class; board from $7 to $12 per week. Furnished cottages or rooms at reasonable rates. All Baltimore & Ohio trains stop at the park. Write to L. A. Rudisill, Superintendent, Mountain Lake Park, Md., in regard to hotels, etc., and for information as to time of trains, rates of fare, etc., call on any agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railway, or address O. P. McCarty, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Fourth of July Excursions.

The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railway will sell excursion tickets July 3d and 4th, at one fare for the round trip, to all points within 200 miles over its own lines and principal connecting lines. Tickets good returning until July 5th. For particulars, apply to nearest station agent.

I have two little grand children who are teething this hot summer weather and are troubled with bowel complaint. I give them Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy and it acts like a charm. I earnestly recommend it for children with bowel troubles. I was myself taken with a severe attack of bloody flux, with cramps and pains in my somach, one-third of a bottle of this remedy cured me. Within twenty-four hours I was out of bed and doing my house work. MRS. W. L. DUNAGAN, Boo-aqua, Hickman Co., Tenn. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

The Herms Dry Goods Co

TUESDAY MORNING, June 27.

Store open Tonight until 9:30.

Dotted Swisses.

We are headquarters this week on Swisses. We now show over 15 different size dots from the very smallest and popular pin dot to the desirable medium size dots at 16⅔, 18, 20, 25, 30, 33⅓, 35, 39, 40, 45, 47 and 50cts.

Colored Swisses,

Self Colored dots, pink pale blue, cardinal and black, 25 cents a yard.

India Linens.

Special values at 9, 10, 12½, 15, 16⅔, 81, 20, 25 and 30 cents a yard.

New Duck Suitings.

Today we add to our popular assortment plain navy blue, plain tan and a white dot on a blackground, 12½ cents a yard.

Revised Prices

on Wash Goods. 8⅓ cents a yard for Satin Stripe Mulls were 12½cts. 8⅓ cents a yard for Gilbert Organdies were 15cts. 8⅓ cents a yard for Printed Satteens were 12½cts. 8⅓ a yark for Irish Lawns were 12½cts.

The Herms Dry Goods Co

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of Mary B. Staiger.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Mary B. Staiger, by the probate court of Scioto county.

All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

May 21, A. D., 1894.

HENRY C. LODWICK,
Portsmouth, Ohio.
GEORGE O. NEWMAN, Attorney.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Fred Rider and Richard M. Kricker, doing business under the firm name of Rider & Kricker, was on the 2nd day of June, 1894, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in the future will be carried on by Fred Rider alone.

FRED RIDER,
RICHARD M. KRICKER.

Portsmouth, O., June 2nd, 1894.

ROBERT DODGE,

- - DEALER IN - -

STAPLE AND FANCY

GROCERIES

The Best Butter,
The Freshest Eggs,
The Finest Strawberries,

IN THE MARKET.

☞Thirty bushels Home Grown Potatoes for sale very cheap.

At the Old Stand,
76 West Second Street.

LADIES

The time for using Spices is now here. Remember that the Spices sold by

FISHER & STREICH

are strictly pure and ground especially for their customers.

Deer Park and Oakland

On the Crest of the Alleghenies.
(Main Line B. & O. R. R.)

Season opens June 23, 1894.

Rates, $60, $75 and $90 a month, according to location. Address
GEORGE DeSHIELDS, Manager;
Deer Park Garrett Co., Md.

Mountain Lake Park

Between Deer Park and Oakland.

Season opens June 1, 1894.

MOUNTAIN LAKE CAMP MEETING,
MOUNTAIN LAKE CHAUTABQUA,
W. L. DAVIDSON, D.D., Sup't Instruction.
INTERSTATE W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.
Rates, $7 to $15 per week. Address
L. A. RUDISILL, Superintendent,
Mountain Lake Park, Md.

H. LEET & CO.

Dealers in all kinds of

Lumber, Lath, Red Cedar, Pine and Hemlock Shingles,

DOORS, SASH AND BLINDS.

Office and Planing Mill, Corner 9th and Washington Streets

Whew! Ain't It Hot!

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET A NICE LIGHT STRAW HAT.

The Slickest Straw Hat you have seen this year for 50c.
A $2.50 Milan Braid for $2.00.
A $2.00 Milan Braid for $1.50.
A $1.50 Milan Braid for $1.00.

New Stock! Come early, before the assortment is broken.

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The Stanton & Balmert Company

Distillers and Wholesale Dealers in

BOURBON AND RYE ◆ **WHISKIES** ◆ IMPORTED WINES

161 and 163 W. Front St. PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

Reliable Gasoline Stove

THE BEST STOVE IN THE MARKET.

EVERY STOVE GUARANTEED.
We have a Large Stock, which we will sell at prices to suit the purse of Everyone. Give us a call.

WATKINS BROS.

72 WEST SECOND STREET.

"Word to the Wise."

HOUSECLEANING is done; Furniture is cheap; now is the time to buy. Our stock is complete; we can show a large line of Bedroom Suits from $12.00 up. We have 40 or 50 new patterns of Chairs and never carry less than 200 styles of Rocking Chairs, from $1.00 up.

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We want everybody to know that it is to their advantage to call on us before they buy furniture. It costs nothing to see our stock; it saves you money.

FULLER BROS.

126 West Second Street.

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CLEVELAND

: : IN THE : :

Great Relay Race

From Sandusky to Portsmouth, made the fastest run in the race.

Clevelands Can Fly!

It's Trimmer's Mount!

It's Yours for the Asking!

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We Now Have the Largest Stock of

PAINTS, STAINS, WHITE AND TINTED LEAD

And General Painters' Material,

To be found in Southern Ohio, which being bought for Cash will be sold lower than the lowest.

Call at the Chillicothe Street Paint Store.

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At the Sample Shoe Store, 517 Chillicothe St.

From the patronage we have received since we have swung open our doors we know that that the people of Portsmouth have welcomed us to swell the population of their beautiful city, therefore to you and all we return our *THANKS* and pledge ourselves to treat every citizen of Portsmouth and surrounding country just as we would like to be treated. To those who have'nt called to look at our shoes and prices we would advise them to come and see us. We don't think the less of any one for looking around. You are always welcome at the SAMPLE SHOE STORE, whether you buy or not!

MEN'S SHOES.

Good Brogans.....worth $1 50, Our price, $0.89
Good Plow Shoes, worth 1 75, Our price, 1.10
Good Plow Shoes, worth 2.00, Our price, 1.15
Sunday Shoes.....worth 1 50, Our price, 98
Sunday Shoes.....worth 1.75, Our price, 1.10
Calf Skin Shoes, worth $7.00, Our price, $2.99
Calf Skin Shoes.....worth $2.50, Our price, $1.25
Calf Skin Shoes.....worth 2.75, Our price, 1 29
Calf Skin Shoes.....worth 3.75, Our price, 1 69
Calf Skin Shoes.....worth 4.00, Our price, 1.79
Calf Skin Shoes.....worth 6.00, Our price, 2.39

LADIES' SHOES.

Ladies' House Slippers, worth 75, Our price, 39c
Ladies' Fine Slippers, worth $1.50, Our price, 79c
Ladies' Fine Slippers, worth 2 00, Our price, 99c
Ladies' Kid Shoes.... worth 2.50, Our price, 99c
Ladies' Fine Slippers, worth $1.25, Our price, 69c
Ladies' Fine Slippers, worth 1.75, Our price, 89c
The Finest Line of Slippers in the city for From $1.00 to $1.69
A Custom Made Shoe, worth $3.50. in ten different styles, with and without Patent Leather Tips, with and without Common Sense Heel, for $1.49.

BOYS' AND MISSES' SHOES.

Misses' Shoes, Tan, worth $1.50, Our price, 79c
Misses' Shoes, Red, worth 2.00, Our price, 89c
Misses' Shoes ...f.....worth $2 25, Our price, 99c
Misses' Shoes.....worth $3.00, Our price, $1.24
Boys' Shoes.....worth $1.50, Our price, 89c
Boys' Shoes.....worth 1.75, Our price, 99c
Boys' Shoes.....worth $2.25, Our price, $1.24
Boys' Shoes.....worth 2 50, Our price, 1 39
Boys' Shoes.....worth 3 00, Our price, 1.49
We have Boys' Shoes, in Tans, worth $3.00, Our prices, $1.19, $1.09 and 99c.

We have no competition wherever we are, therefore if any shoe house makes or tries to compete with our prices they are offering you an inferior quality for good shoes. Call on us, the originators of Low Prices,

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517 Chillicothe St., Opposite P. O.
PORTSMOUTH, O.

PERSONAL.

Judge N. J. Dever went to Ironton today.

George Barber went to Cincinnati today on business.

Theo. Doty went to Cincinnati on business this morning.

Dr. Ed. Semans returned to Delaware yesterday afternoon.

Dr. S. S. Halderman returned today from a visit to Cincinnati.

Charles Webber, the shoe dealer, is in Cincinnati today on business.

J. B. Walker, agent of the Pocahontas Coal Co., is in the city today.

Mrs. Lou Jacobs, of Chicago, is the guest of M. Jacobs and family, of Chillicothe street.

Mrs. Emma Wymer, of Fourth street, went to Ironton this morning on a brief visit to relatives.

Captain N. W. Evans went to Cleveland Monday on legal business. He will remain several days.

Will Koger, check clerk at the N. & W. depot, is out at Camp Limberger today enjoying himself fishing.

George E. Kricker, and wife left this afternoon for St. Louis, Mo., on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Miss Carol Simmons, of Cincinnati, is visiting here, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. V. Simmons, of West Sixth street.

Miss Georgia Stratton, of 380 East Eleventh street, has gone to Ironton, where she will spend the summer with relatives.

E. J. Corson and wife, Dan McFarland and wife and Rev. Dallas Tucker and wife, are spending the afternoon at Camp McColloch.

W. J. Stevens, of Titusville, Penn., and L. P. Collins, of Greenup, Ky., are in the city on business with the Brubaker Lumber Co.

C. G. Carothers, who has been in this city for several weeks in the interest of the Providence Savings Life association, has gone to Ironton, where he will look after the interests of that company.

Miss Ruth Pritchard arrived home on the C. & O. this afternoon after enjoying a four weeks' visit in the East. For two weeks she was the guest of friends in New York city, the remainder of the time being spent in Philadelphia and Washington.

Valley Harold, of Shelbyville, Ill., a former editor of the Portsmouth TIMES, will arrive in this city next Friday, accompanied by his wife, to remain over July 4th, as the guests of the McConnell family, on East Second street. During their year's residence here Mr. and Mrs. Harold made many warm friends, who will be glad to welcome them on this, their first visit since their departure in January, '93.

SAD DEATH.

Mrs. Peter Daehler, of Gay Street, Dies Early this Morning, of Typhoid Fever.

The many friends of Mrs. Anna Katharine Daehler, wife of Peter Daehler, heard with sorrow the tidings of her death, which occurred at her residence on Gay street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, this morning at half-past two o'clock. Her death was caused by typhoid fever, of which she had been a patient sufferer for the past two months.

Mrs. Daehler was almost 61 years of age and was born in Germany. She has resided in this country almost 40 years and was married to Peter Daehler, who survives her, almost 38 years ago. Her husband is a brother of F. C. Daehler, the well-known furniture dealer, at present sojourning in Europe, and has, for the past 20 years, been an employee of the Moore Foundry and Machine works. Three children also survive, Mrs. Charles Zell, Wm. Daehler and Lydia Daehler, all of whom reside in this city.

The funeral services will be held in the German M. E. church, Thursday afternoon at half-past two o'clock. Burial in Greenlawn cemetery.

AFTER 4 MONTHS.

Polk Purdom, Tired of Hiding From the Authorities, Gives Himself Up.

On February 17th last, Polk Purdom struck Susan Kinney in the head with a cane. The woman was laid up for a week or so, but on the 25th of February swore out a warrant for his arrest for assault with intent to kill. Polk heard of it and skipped out, not showing himself in Portsmouth since. About 10 o'clock this morning he walked into the Mayor's office and gave himself up. His preliminary hearing will be held Wednesday.

The best screened. Hanging Rock lump coal, always on hand, at 8 cents a bushel.
JOHN FLANNIGAN,
708 Market street.

PROF. FROST'S RECITAL.

A Fair Warm Weather Audience Enjoys an Excellent Program at the Grand.

Several months ago Prof. A. Frost moved to this city from Maysville, Ky. He came well recommended as a musician of considerable talent and a teacher of superior ability, and soon had a formidable class of pupils. Last night the public had the first opportunity to see the evidences of his instruction and judge of his merits as a teacher. It was the first public recital of his class and it was held at the Grand opera house. The stage was decorated with plants and flowers for the occasion. There were twenty-three numbers on the program, giving all the pupils an opportunity to display their talents, and the rendition of the program was highly satisfactory to both performers and audience. Without exception they acquitted themselves very creditably. The program opened with an instrumental duet by Misses A. Padan and L. Esselborn. There was one other instrumental duet on the program, by Miss Amelia Frost and Prof. Frost, and two vocal solos by Mrs. and Miss Shepard. The piano soloists were Margaret Williams, Virginia Lewis, Genevieve Lloyd, Kate Anderson, Maud Shepard, Lucy Bishop, Rosa Knittel, Carrie Eisman, Lizzie Dykeman, Gladys Evans, Sadie Milstead, Amelia Frost, Alice Padan, Laura Esselborn.

Master George Smith, the famous boy violinist, gave two excellent selections and responded to an encore to each number. He is a wonderful player, and his numbers were delightful.

Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Lulu E. Summer and Miss Jessie Barbour, both of which were excellent.

SUITS AND EMBLEMS

To be Adopted by the Y. M. C. A.—The Religious Work for July.

At a meeting of the gymnasium committee of the Y. M. C. A. last evening a committee was appointed to select uniform to be adopted by the gymnasium pupils. The committee will recommend that every member of the class secure a suit, although it will not be compulsory. Another committee was appointed to select an emblem. It is probable that the national emblem, the triangle, will be adopted, with colors.

The committee desires to enforce strictly the rule prohibiting the use of tobacco in the gym.

The religious work committee arranged for the July meeting. Capt. E. E. Ewing will address the meeting July 8th, on the subject, "A Short Letter to Young Men." The topic for July 15th, will be "Time;" July, 22d, "Sold For His Supper;" July 29th, "Honesty." F. M. Norris will have charge of the meeting on the 15th, in the absence of the secretary, who will be out of the city on that date.

THE CHIEF'S HORSE.

Another Runaway in Which the Fire Department Turnout Figures.

The turnout of the chief of the fire department was hitched in front of the Seventh street engine house yesterday afternoon, when, for some reason, the bell tapped. The horse immediately started on a dead run down Seventh to Market and south on Market, where it encountered a sprinkling wagon and came to a standstill. No damage was done, beyond slight injuries to the harness.

A. C. P. & V. Party.

Yesterday was pay day on the C. P. & V., and the following Cincinnatians occupied the officers' car: Samuel Hunt, W. D. Gray, John C. Gleason, Judge Ferris, probate judge of Hamilton county, and Mr. Sprague. On the return trip Abner West, of this city, was a passenger in this car; also, A. E. Fuller, who will accompany Mr. West to Hot Springs, Ark., and Dr. Halderman, who went with him as far as Cincinnati.

Will Warm Up.

The young men of the Portsmouth assembly are arranging for a platform dance, to be given next Friday evening at Grand View park, New Boston. The services of the Imperial mandolin and guitar club have been engaged for this occasion.

To Open Up an Office.

J. B. Woodward, of Columbus, assistant superintendent of the Mutual Life Insurance company has opened up an office in the Elk building and will locate a number of sub agents here.

A New Citizen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell, of Fifth street are entertaining a brand new baby boy who arrived Monday.

Coverston & Co. will close out the balance of their stock of dry goods and notions at auction, commencing this evening and continuing every night this week. Ladies are especially invited.

FRAGMENTS.

Two trains of cattle, of 20 cars each, went east over the N. & W. last evening, being bound for Norfolk, for export.

Alexander White, of Rardin, has purchased a new separator of the Huber Mnfg. company., of J. B. Warwick, of Lucasville, local agent.

Frank Duduit lost a red, leather memorandum book, containing list of accounts yesterday, and would be glad to have finder return same to his office on Second street.

Mr. Charles Streich, who it was stated in yesterday's issue would engage in the drug business with Messrs. Seebohm and Nichols, has decided to remain with Fisher & Streich, and will be found at that popular drug store in the future as well as in the past.

COAL BIDS.

Opened by Postmaster Jones—A Slight Difference Between the Price Paid Last Year and This.

The bids for furnishing anthracite coal for the government building in this city were opened by Postmaster John Jones yesterday, the following bidders being present: F. M. Brooks, H. F. Thompson, of Thompson & Kricker, J. M. Stockham and Fred Reiniger. The bids were as follows; Brooks, $7.60 per ton, Thompson & Kricker $7.25, Stockham $7 and Reiniger $7.89. The bids were then forwarded to Washington for examination.

The amount of coal required is fifty tons. While the bids were being opened, one of the bidders chanced to inquire what was paid last year, and on examination it was discovered that the price paid the last year of Philo Clark's administration was $8.35 per ton, or 75 cents more than the highest bid this year and $1.54 per ton more than the lowest. Coal dealers say that the price of anthracite coal last year was practically the same as this year. The fact that Philo Clark, a henchman of the "old guard" was postmaster at that time, is sufficient explanation of this state of affairs. The delectable gang who have controlled Scioto county in past years seem to think that the wildest extravagance is justifiable in the administration of government affairs.

COURT HOUSE ITEMS.

News of Minor Importance in and About the County Offices.

Sheriff Gustin returned at noon from Athens with Mary Seifort, who will be transferred from the asylum to the county infirmary. Mary Balsinger was taken to the asylum.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Washington Township—Herman Pick et al. to Thomas Graham, 2 tracts, 4 acres, $300.

Fifth Ward, Portsmouth—Esther Edwards et al. to John T. McMahon, lot 75, P. B. and S. add., $1,850.

Second Ward, Portsmouth—Creed Milstead and wife to Theo. K. Funk, trustee, lot 401, $1, etc.

Theo. K. Funk, trustee, to Ruhama Milstead, lot 401, $1, etc.

Sixth Ward, Portsmouth—Isabella M. Tracy to Albert Graf, lot 71, Pursell addition, $442.

Isabella M. Tracy to Bernard Friel, lot 68, Pursell addition, $1,365.

MORTGAGES CANCELLED.

Bernard Friel to Isabella M. Tracy, $285.

The K. of P. Excursion July 4th.

The K. of P's., are much encouraged over the reports of the members having tickets for sale on their excursion to Ironton and Ashland the Fourth of July, and anticipate a monster crowd. The exercises will begin shortly after the train gets in at Ironton. The excursionists will have a special train which will leave South Portsmouth at 8 o'clock standard time.

Freight Wreck on the N. & W.

The N. & W. had a disastrous freight wreck near the Kenova division this morning, a freight engine and eighteen cars leaving the track. No one was seriously injured. No. 33 was on the other side of the wreck and a train consisting of an engine and a couple of dilapidated coaches was made up and passengers transferred at the wreck.

Arresting Business Slack.

Business in police circles has been unusually slack the past week. The last arrest made was Friday, the past few days being free from disturbances of a law breaking nature.

Take the C. & O. railway Pythian excursion if you want to reach Ironton in perfect safety. Low water will not impede the progress of the train and it will be a delightful trip. Train reaches Ironton at 9 o'clock. You can stay until 10:30. If you want to see all of the morning races, do not, for a moment, think of going any other way.

EX-SHERIFF JOHN L. WARD

Passes Away at 4:10 at the Residence of His Son-in-Law, Capt Isaac Miller.

Just as the TIMES went to press word was received of the death of Ex-Sheriff John L. Ward, which took place at 4:10 o'clock at the residence of his son-in-law, Captain Isaac Miller, on the northeast corner of Washington and Sixth streets. Mr. Ward's death was caused by old age. He has lingered in an almost dying condition for more than two months past, his death being expected at almost any moment. Towards the last his mind gave way and in his last days he did not recognize the members of his family, who watched at his bedside.

Mr. Ward was one of the most prominent and best known citizens of Portsmouth and Scioto county and has been prominently identified with the growth and prosperity of both.

He was in his eighty-third year, and was born in Lancastar. For many years he conducted a general blacksmithing business where the Moore Foundry and Machine works now are, the firm name being Wilburn & Ward He was also engaged in the hardware business, in a block adjoining the Spry block, with Joseph Cohen for awhile, besides being engaged in various other enterprises. He twice filled the positions of sheriff and treasurer of the county very acceptably. During his lifetime, by industry and thrift, he accumulated considerable property.

A more extended biography of Mr. Ward will appear in tomorrow's TIMES.

RIVER NOTES.

W. L. B. Jack to Inaugurate a Series of Excursions to Greenup and Other Places Thursday Evening.

The river is 5 feet, 6 inches and falling.

The Shirley and City of Vevay are due up tomorrow.

The Scotia and Iron Queen are laid up at Cincinnati on account of low water and will engage either in the Coney Island excursion trade or with the Memphis Packet Co.

The City of Madison, which was sunk near Madison, Ind., last week, is so badly smashed up that she will be wrecked. The White Collar people announce that they will build a new steamer to take her place this fall.

W. L. B. Jack, the hustling local agent of the Bay Bros.' steamers, is making arrangements to give an excursion on the popular little steamer Ruth next Thursday evening. The boat will leave the wharf in front of the Biggs House at 7:30 o'clock, and will steam up the river as far as Greenup, where a landing will be made. The popular River City band, of fourteen pieces, will be along to furnish music for the occasion. Mr. Jack is determined to make the excursion a success and will charge only 25 cents for the round trip. The best of order will be kept and no intoxicants of any kind will be allowed on the boat. The excursion should be a successful one and well patronized, as the Ruth is one of the most comfortable little steamers on the river, and it will be a great relief to many people to get a chance to breathe the cool, pure river air, after being cooped up in the city all day. In the event that this excursion is well patronized, it is the intention of Mr. Jack to run excursions three times a week during the summer months. Remember, only 25 cents for the round trip.

Gone to the Southland.

Shard Hanson, who lately held forth at Jim Weaver's barber shop has thrown up his job and hied himself away to the Sunny Southland, where orange blossoms grow. Marshal Schmitt and Mayor Hall would like to have a seance with Shard on account of a small balance due on a fine recently imposed for shootin' craps.

A Fifty Dollar Burglary.

The barn of Thomas G. Calvert, the well known dairyman living on the West Side, was entered by thieves last evening and a set of new double harness two bridles valued at $4 each and other articles to the value of $50 were stolen. There was no clue to the thieves.

A Big Pension.

Mrs. Yates, of Pond Run, was in the city this morning. She brought with her the necessary papers and documents to procure the hard cash to the extent of $1,700 pension, allowed her recently.

ANDERSON—HAUNAS.

George B. Anderson, the Shoe Man to Be Married Wednesday at Decatur, Ill.

George B. Anderson, of the shoe firm of Anderson Bros., of Chillicothe street, leaves this evening for Decatur, Ill. Mr. Anderson's trip is not in the line of his usual business, selling shoes. He will return Saturday with a new Mrs. Anderson, now Anna Haunas, of the above named city. The ceremony will take place at 6 p. m. Wednesday, and, after a short wedding trip, they will come to Portsmouth, their future home.

The groom is well known here and has for some time been a traveling salesman for the firm of Lilly, Brackett & Co., of Boston, Mass. He will retire from the road this fall and enter actively into the retail business in this city, being a member of the firm of Anderson Bros. A reception will be tendered at the home of the groom's parents, on Offnere street, next Thursday evening.

A Lawn Party.

Little Muriel Evans entertains her many young friends with a lawn party this afternoon at the delightful home of Capt. N. W. Evans, on Gallia avenue.

A Promotion.

Earl Pixley, who has been conductor on the Lowell for several months, was promoted yesterday to the position of motorman.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Gathered By Telegraph From All Parts of the Country.

It is reported that the Porte has decided to accredit a minister to the vatican.

For the first time in the history of Leadville, Col., saloons are to be closed Sundays.

United States Consul General Collins will give a dinner to Ambassador Bayard and the American consuls at the Savoy hotel on July 4.

United States Ambassador Bayard called upon the duke of York and presented his congratulations upon the birth of a son to the duke and duchess.

The 150 employes of the Pullman shops, in Ludlow, Ky., were called out Monday morning by F. W. Phelan, representing the American Railway union.

Monday morning the employes of the Pullman Co. in St. Louis, to the number of 330, went on a strike. The men claim that they struck on orders from Chicago.

The United Irish societies of Chicago, in annual convention Monday, expressed their condemnation of the movement to raise funds for the Irish parliamentary party.

The ringleader of the band of Indians near Shakan Harbor, Alaska, which murdered two unknown white men this spring, has been arrested and taken to Juneau for trial.

The Madison Coal Co. made a strong effort to open its mine at Mt. Olive, Ill., Monday morning, but not a miner came to work. At a mass meeting Monday afternoon the miners decided to stay out by a vote of 256 to 19.

The case of Insurance Commissioner Snyder, of Kansas, to compel New York insurance companies to pay a tax on all Kansas business, was decided against the insurance commissioner. He will appeal to the state supreme court.

At Chattanooga, Tenn., because he asked him for twenty-five cents due on cab fare, Riley Hutchinson, a well-known hack driver, colored, was shot three times and fatally wounded by J. G. Curry, a white saloonkeeper, on Broad street, at noon Monday.

The North American, of Philadelphia, says of the assassination of the French president: "The assassin is a serious complication in the matter, and points to the conclusion that the murder was one of political revenge. In this there may lurk an element of danger.

The cruiser New York, with crew and ship in the best possible condition, has arrived at New York from Kingston, Jamaica, June 13. In an interview Lieutenant Commander Heald said the alleged defects on the New York were of no consequence, everything having been easily remedied and adjusted.

Her View of It.

"You live opposite the Vanasters, I believe, Mrs. Knickerbock," said Mrs. Cumso.

"No," replied Mrs. Knickerbock stiffly. "The Vanasters live opposite me."—Judge.

Inexperienced.

He—Have you ever been engaged before?

She—No, darling.

He—Then I'm afraid you will take our engagement too seriously.—Brooklyn Life.

"Not So Bad," Etc.

Though some look down on pawnbrokers
And quite despise the creatures,
We must confess
Their business
Has its redeeming features.
—Judge.

Already That Way.

Tom—I believe I'm becoming dull.

Fred (who means to be comforting)—Nonsense. It's positively absurd to speak of your becoming so.—

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, June 26.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.35@3.85; do fancy at $2.75@3.00; do family at $2.35@2.60. Winter patent quotable at $2.85@3.10; fancy at $2.50@2.65, and family at $2.10@2.20; extra at $1.70@1.80; low grades at $1.60@1.75.

WHEAT—Receipts are more liberal, but a good portion of the No. 2 red wheat inspected was on contract. No. 2 red, track, quoted at 56½c.

CORN—No. 2 white, track, 47½c; No. 2 yellow, track, 46c; No. 2 mixed, track, 43½c; yellow ear, track, 48c; 1 car white ear, track, 45½c.

OATS—The following sales were reported: 2 cars No. 2 mixed, track, at 48c; 1 car do at 47½c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, $3.50@4.25; prime to extra, $4.35@4.50; select butcher, $3.85@4.10; prime to extra, $4.15@4.25; fair to medium, $3.00@3.50; common to ordinary, $2.00@2.85. Heifers; Good to choice, $3.25@3.75; fair to medium, $2.75@3.15.

CALVES—Common and large, $2.00@3.50; fair to good light, $3.75@4.50.

HOGS—Select butcher, $5.15@5.20; packing, $5.00@5.10; common and rough, $4.50@4.95; fair to good light, $4.85@5.10; common to fair pigs, $4.00@4.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep: Top yearlings and wethers, $3.00@3.40; good to choice ewes and wethers mixed, $2.00@2.75; common to fair, $1.00@1.75. Lambs: Shippers, extra, $4.00@4.75; good to choice, $4.25@4.50; common to fair, $2.75@4.00; butchers, extra, $3.25@3.50; others, $2.00@3.00.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb, 8@9c; quarter blood clothing, 13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13@14c; coarse, 11c; medium combing, 14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 15@16c; medium clothing, 17@18c; delaine fleece, 17@18c; long combing, 17@18c; quarter blood and low, 15@17c; common coarse, 15@16c; tub-washed, choice, 21@22c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, June 26.

WHEAT—No. 2 red spot, June and July, 61½@61⅝c; August, 62⅝@62¾c; September, 63¼@63⅜c.

CORN—Mixed spot and June, 46½c bid; July, 46c bid.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 52c asked; No. 2 mixed do, 50@51c.

RYE—No. 2, 55@56c.

NEW YORK, June 26.

RYE—Western, 48@57c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, store and elevator 63c, afloat 64c, f. o. b. 63⅝@64½c, ungraded red 58@64c. No. 1 Northern 70c.

CORN—No. 2 45½@45⅝c elevator, 45¾@45⅞c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 51@52c; No. 2 white, 52½c; No. 2 Chicago, 52½c; No. 3, 50½c; No. 3 white, 51½c; mixed western, 52@53c; white do, 52@57c, and white state, 52@57c.

TOLEDO, O., June 26.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 58½c; July, 59½c; August, 60½c; September, 61½c; No. 3 red cash, 57½c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow cash, 41½c.

OATS—Nominal.

RYE—No. 2 cash, 51c.

CLOVER SEED—October, $5.15.

PITTSBURGH, June 26.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.50@4.70; good, $4.30@4.40; good butchers, $4.00@4.15; rough fat, $3.00@3.10; fair light steers, $2.40@3.00; good to fair cows and heifers, $2.75@3.15; fresh cows and springers, $2.00@40.00.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $5.25@5.30; best Yorkers, $5.20@5.25; common to fair Yorkers, $5.00@5.10; pigs, $5.00@5.10; good sows, $4.00@4.50.

SHEEP—Good, $2.50@3.00; fair, $1.50@1.90; common, 50c@$1.00; yearlings, $2.00@3.50; lambs, $2.50@4.10.

VEAL CALVES—$4.00@4.50; heavy, $2.00@3.00.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 26.

CATTLE—Best export steers, $4.60@4.80; good heavy shippers, $4.45@4.60; medium to good steers, $4.25@4.50; light and others, $3.65@4.15.

HOGS—Yorkers, $5.30@5.35, mostly $5.30; pigs, $5.30@5.40; mixed, $5.30@5.35; mediums and heavy, $5.30@5.35; roughs, $4.25@4.65; stags, $3.00@3.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Good to choice lambs, $5.00@5.35; common to fair, $2.75@4.75; yearlings, $3.00@4.10; fair to good mixed sheep, $2.75@3.40; fat 110 to 140 pound ewes, $2.60@2.75.

CHICAGO, June 26.

Cash quotations: Flour, unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 59½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 53@56c; No. 2 red, 59½c; No. 2 corn, [illegible]; No. 2 oats, 19½c; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 2 rye, 48½c; No. 2 barley, [illegible]; No. 3, 52c; No. 1 flax, [illegible].

A Strong Combination.

Newspaper Man—How is the theatrical business this season?

Traveling Manager—Fine! Crowded houses every night! My leading man is a prize-fighter, and my leading lady a society divorcee.—N. Y. Weekly.

What He Would Rather See.

"Self-raisin' flour," soliloquized Farmer Sparrowgrass, after reading an advertisement; "self-raisin' flour may be all right, but what I'd like to see is some seed of self-raisin' wheat."—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

Sometime ago I was troubled with an attack of rheumatism. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and was completely cured. I have since advised many of my friends and customers to try the remedy and all speak highly of it. SIMON GOLDBAUM, San Luis Rey, Cal For sale by Fisher & Streich.

FREE ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements under the head of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," etc., not to exceed three lines, will be published three times free.

FOUND—Near the N. & W. passenger depot, on Chillicothe street, a bunch of keys, evidently the property of a railroad man. Owner can have same by calling at the Central Savings Bank.

LOST—Red memorandum book, containing accounts; useless except to owner. Return and get reward. Frank Duduit, 115 West Second street.

FOUND—A bunch of 15 keys, near brewery, on Gallia pike, yesterday morning. Owner can recover property by calling on Undertaker George Pfeiffer, 210 West Second street.

WANTED—A good girl at 32 West Second street. 22

FOR SALE—A nice country residence and small farm for sale. Call on John Jones, the Plumber. 22

FOR SALE—Sand of superior quality for building purposes or pavements; price low. Inquire at 101 West Second street.
22 W. S. McCOLM.

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